



# CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

**Date:** Wednesday, August 31, 2011  
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## ***REVISED*** **CLOSURES ON STATE ROUTE 99 AT/NEAR AVENUE 12 TONIGHT**

**WHAT:** EMERGENCY PAVEMENT REHABILITATION PROJECT ALONG  
NORTHBOUND AND SOUTHBOUND STATE ROUTE 99.

**WHEN:** TONIGHT, FROM 9:00 P.M. - 6:00 A.M. TOMORROW MORNING.

**WHERE:** MADERA COUNTY; AVENUE 12 RAMPS; SHOULDERS AND #2 LANE  
CLOSURES ALONG NB & SB 99.

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces that identified sections of failed asphalt concrete located just south of the Avenue 12 overcrossing will require the closure of the #2 lanes in both directions along State Route 99 in Madera County. As part of this rehabilitation project, highway lanes, shoulders and ramps will be closed in order to safely complete this project in one evening. **At no time will two consecutive ramps be closed at the same time.** The following ramps are scheduled to be completely closed tonight:

- Avenue 12 southbound loop on-ramp
- Avenue 12 northbound off-ramp
- **Avenue 12 southbound off-ramp-REVISED; WILL REMAIN OPEN**
- **Avenue 12 northbound on-ramp-WILL REMAIN OPEN**

Portable Changeable Message Signs (PCMS) and ramp closure signage has been placed in order to notify motorists of closures. Motorists will have one-lane access in each direction along State Route 99 within the project limits at all times; however, motorists may experience traffic delays within this area during this time. Motorists are encouraged to use an alternate route if possible. (Schedule subject to change due to unforeseen contractor operations).

Caltrans would like to thank the residents, businesses and commuters for their patience during this improvement project. Please drive carefully, observe all warning signs and watch for equipment and personnel. For further information regarding this project, please contact the District 6 Public Information Office at the number listed above.

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